

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
) CASE NO. MJ 11-5083
Plaintiff,)
)
v.) DETENTION ORDER
)
LEOBARDO SANTOS-PIOQUINTO,)
)
Defendant.)
_____)

Offense charged: Possession of Methamphetamine with Intent to Distribute, 50+ grams.

Date of Detention Hearing: May 2, 2011.

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. Defendant is charged with possession of methamphetamine with intent to distribute. He admitted to law enforcement agents that he is a methamphetamine user and that

01 he sells methamphetamines sometimes. He has prior felony convictions for drug offenses.

02 2. Defendant was not interviewed by Pretrial Services, and there is little
03 information about defendant's living situation or status in the community.

04 3. The crime that defendant is charged with carries a minimum sentence of five
05 years and a maximum of 40 years of imprisonment.

06 4. There is an immigration detainer pending against defendant. He and his
07 counsel did not contest the entry of an order of detention pending trial.

08 5. There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will
09 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the
10 danger to other persons or the community.

11 It is therefore ORDERED:

12 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney
13 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from
14 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;

15 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
16 counsel;

17 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the
18 person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver
19 the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection
20 with a court proceeding; and

21 4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel
22 for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States Pretrial

Services Officer.

DATED this 3rd day of May, 2011.

s/ John L. Weinberg
United States Magistrate Judge